GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Linking Gadchiroli
Nete Shri Ashok Mahadeorao

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a provision for linking the district headquarter Gadchiroli with Wadsa-Gadchiroli railway network had been made in the Railway Budget 2011-12;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the construction of Wadsa-Gadchiroli railway network has commenced;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons for the delay and by when the construction work is likely to be commenced and completed?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (e): Yes, Madam. To provide rail connectivity to naxal affected district Gadchiroli, Wadsa-Gadchiroli (50 Km.) new line project has been taken up at an anticipated cost of ` 469 crore. Expenditure of ` 16 crore has been incurred up to March 2015. Final location survey has been completed and land acquisition taken up. Construction work can begin only after grant of possession of land in an adequate length by the State Government.
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